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三月

號七十月二英春香

PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
February 16, GRAFTON, British steamer, 1,188,
Scoborn-Saigon 12th February, Rice and
Paddy—RUSSELL & CO.

February 16, GRATEFUL, British str., 1,201,
N.C. Wicks, Kuchinotzu 11th February,
Coal—OEDER.

February 16, TAICHOW, British steamer, 802,
Newton, Bangkok 9th February, General
—YUEN FAT HONG.

February 16, FAIR, British str., 705, Munk,
Saigon 10th February, Rice and Paddy—
CHINESE.

February 16, INDEPENDENT, German steamer,
918, A. Hassenkohl, Saigon 10th February,
Rice and Paddy—WIELKE & CO.

February 16, LING FANG, Chinese cruiser, Lion,
A. J. Booth, R.N., from a cruise.

February 16, KASHEM, British steamer, 3,064,
F. Speck, Bombay 27th January, General
—P. & O. S. N. Co.

February 16, FUSHUN, Chinese steamer, 1,504,
Croad, Shanghai 13th February, General—
C. M. S. N. Co.

February 16, SIGNAL, German steamer, 385, C.
A. Hundsdorff, Pakhoi 12th February, Ho-
wai 14th and Macao 10th, General—SIEHM-
SEN & CO.

ULIBANCES.
AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE
16TH FEBRUARY.

TANZALON, British str., for Nagasaki.
Crusader, British str., for Haiphong.
Tiriono Maru, Japanese str., for Nagasaki.
Pekino, British str., for Swatow.
Don Juan, Spanish str., for Manila.
Anchises, British str., for Shanghai.
Daburg, German str., for Bangkok.

DEPARTURES.
February 16, ANTON, German str., for Hollow.
February 16, DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, for
Manila.

February 16, CHIPCHASE CASTLE, British str.,
for Whampoa.

February 16, NEPAUL, British str., for Europa.

PASSENGERS.
ARRIVED.
Per Kashgar, str., from Bombay—20 Chin-
ese.

For Fushun, str., from Shanghai—For Hong-
kong—Capt. Eberle, Mr. L. L. Mrs. Baker,
Mr. and Mrs. Rodens, F. P. Foster,
Fonchura, and E. M. Lang and servant, and 29
Chinese.

LOCAL BILL DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and
every description of Banking and Exchange
business transacted.

Debtors granted on London, and the chief
commercial cities in Europe, India, Australia,
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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st December, 1885.

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SAVINGS BANK.

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SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

February 16, ARABELLA, from Foochow.

2. Kingtung, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

2. Newland, British str., from Swatow.

2. Thames, British str., from Hongkong.

2. Vixen, German str., from Foochow.

2. Yung Wo, Chinese str., from Chinkiang.

2. Yung Wo, British str., from Glasgow.

3. Hiroshima Maru, Japan str., from Japan.

3. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo.

3. Alabam, German str., from Hongkong.

3. Taiwo, British str., from Kinkiang.

3. Tientsin, British str., from Swatow.

3. Taman, British str., from Swatow.

3. Victoria, British str., from Shuping Roads.

3. Cuckoo, Brit. g.t., from P. Hamilton.

4. Kiang-ying Chinese str., from Foochow.

4. Nanning, British str., from Ningpo.

4. Peking, British str., from Hongkong.

4. Kun-pai, Chinese str., from Amoy.

5. Foochow, British str., from Hongkong.

5. Fushun, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

5. Lingding, British str., from Ningpo.

5. Nanking, British str., from Foochow.

5. Shantung, British str., from Foochow.

5. Tiaowoo, Chinese str., from Ningpo.

5. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo.

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N O. 16, TUNG MAN LANE,

H O N G K O G N .

Hongkong, 17th September, 1885.

BANKS.

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interest from date of issue, and exchangeable
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the yearly Interest Coupons attached, the
sum being made up to any even multiple
of \$100.

3.—HOLDERS of this Stock incur no liability
whatever.

H. A. HERBERT,
Manager, Hongkong Branch.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1886.

INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,
LIMITED.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL
MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS will
be held at the Office of the Company, Pedder's
Street, at TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, THIS
DAY (WEDNESDAY), the 17th February,
1886, to receive a Statement of the Accounts
of the Company to 31st December, 1885, and
the Report of the General Managers, also to
receive any matter which may be properly
brought before the Meeting.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company
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AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions
to Sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,

the 17th February, 1886, at 9 P.M., at
No. 6, Gap Street,

THE WHOLE OF THE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,
Comprising—

ENGLISH-MADE CRIMSON RED and GRE-
TTONNE COVERED DRAWING ROOM
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TABLES, LEATHER TOP, CHINAMAN
GLASSES, ENgravings, CARPETS,
BEDSTEADS, DOUBLE & SINGLE
WARDROBES with GLASS DOORS,
CHEVAL GLASS, MARBLE TOP WASHSTANDS,
DAVENPORT.

ONE COTTAGE PIANO, by J. BEAD-
WOOD & SONS.

ONE COTTAGE PIANO, by LUNAU,
LUBECK, and

ONE MECHANICAL PIANO.

CATALOGUE will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1886.

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INTIMATIONS.

THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL.

THE HONGKONG AMATEUR
DRAMATIC CLUB

have the honour to announce that the

SECOND PERFORMANCE
OF THE SEASON

will take place,

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) EVENING,

the 18th February, 1886, at 9 P.M.,

when will be Performed

TOM TAYLOR'S COMEDY
IN 3 ACTS ENTITLED

"THE OVERLAND ROUTE."

TICKETS, \$2 Each, may be

FOR SALE.

NOW READY. 1886.
THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY
For 1886.
With which is incorporated
THE CHINA DIRECTORY.
(TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL ISSUE),
ROYAL OCTAVO, pp. 1,132 with plans \$5.00.
SMALLER EDITION, pp. 752—\$3.00.

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY
Lies in two volumes, well bound up
to date, and is again much increased in bulk.
It contains DESCRIPTIVE and STATISTICAL
ACCOUNTS of, and DIRECTORIES for
HONGKONG—VLADIVOSTOK—
Do. Ladies' Directory JAPAN—
Do. Military Forces. Nagasaki.
Do. Chinese. Hongs. Kobe (Nagoya).
Macao. Ota.
China. Tokio.
Pukchi. Yokohama.
Hokow. Niigata.
Whampoa. Hakodate.
Canton. THE PHILIPPINES—
Swatow. Manila.
Amoy. Cebu.
Takao. Bohol.
Takao. Sasebo.
Takao. Satsuma.
Kahung. Lahuan.
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Shanghai. Cambodia.
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Wankang. Quinon.
TONGQUIN. Haiphong.
Chafoo. Hanoi.
Taku. Siam—
Takao. Bangkok.
Peking. Siam.
PEKING. Siam.
Arthur. Malacca.
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PORT HAMILTON. Selangor.
NAVAL SQUADRONS—
British. French.
SHIPPING—Officers of the Coasting Steamers of
P. & O. S. N. Co. China & Manila S. S. Co.
Massan. Martiniens. Siemssen & Co.
Japan. M. S. S. Co. H. C. & M. S. B. Co.
Indo-China. N. S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co.
Dangas. S. S. Co. Miscellaneous Coast
China. M. S. N. Co. Steamers.

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the names of TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND,
AND TWELVE HUNDRED, AND
EIGHTY-SIX FOREIGNERS
arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest
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being alphabetical.

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re-engraved in a superior style and brought up
to date. They now consist of:
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CODE of SIGNALS in USE at VICTORIA PEAK.
MAP of the FAR EAST.
MAP of the ISLAND of HONGKONG.
PLAN of the CITY of VICTORIA.
PLAN of the CITY of CANTON.
PLAN of the CHINESE CONCESSIONS, SHANGAI.
PLAN of YENCHING.
PLAN of MANILA.
PLAN of SAIGON.
PLAN of TOWN and ENVIRONS of SINGAPORE.
PLAN of GEORGE TOWN, PENANG.

Among the other contents of the book are—
An Anglo-Chinese Calendar. Mentions of Sun-
days, Festivals, Birthdays, Anniversaries, and
Thermometers. Rainfall, Eclipse, Festivals, &c.
A full Chronology of remarkable events since
the advent of foreigners to China and Japan.
A description of the Festivals, Fasts, &c.,
observed by Chinese, Mahomedans, Parsees, Jews, &c.,
with the days on which they fall.
Comparative Tables of Money, Weights &c.
The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1886.
A Catalogue of the Departmental and Personal
Post and Telegraph Lines and Hongkong.
Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by
the Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong and
Shanghai.
Hongkong Chair, Jinrikisha, and Boat Hire.

This issue contains the New Scale of Hong-
kong STEAMER TIDES, also tables of
COURSES not elsewhere published.

THE APPENDIX consists of
FOUR HUNDRED PAGES
of closely printed matter, to which reference is
conveniently required by residents and those
having commercial or political relations with the
Countries embraced within the scope of the
CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY.

The Contents of the Appendix are too many
to be mentioned in an Abstract, but include—
Treaties with CHINA—
Great Britain, Nanking, 1842
Tientsin, 1858

Chefoo, with additional Article,
and all others not abrogated
France, Tientsin, 1858
Convention, 1859
Tientsin, 1859
United States, Tientsin, 1858
Additional, 1869
Peking, 1860
German, Tientsin, 1861
Peking, 1860

Russia, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and Peru.
TREATIES WITH JAPAN—
Great Britain—Netherlands
United States—Corea

TREATIES WITH COREA
TREATIES WITH SIAM
TREATIES WITH ANNAM
TREATIES WITH CAMBODIA
CUSTOMS TARIFFS—
Chinese Siamese
Japanese Coran

LEGAL ORDERS in Council for Government of H. R. M.
Subjects in China and Japan, 1853, 1857,
1858, 1859.

Rules of H. R. M. Supreme and other Courts
Table of Consular Fees
Code of Civil Procedure, Hongkong
Admiralty Rules
Foreign Jurisdiction Act
Statute of Limitations
Consular Courts of United
States in China

Rules of Court of Consuls at Shanghai
Chinese Passenger Act
TRADE REGULATIONS—
China Siam
Japan Customs Seizure, China
Customs and Harbour Regulations for the dif-
ferent ports of China, Philippines, Siam, &c.
Price Regulations

Honors—Charter of the Colony
New Rules of Legislative Council
&c., &c., &c.

The Treaties between France and China, 1883,
and France and Siam. Additional Article to
Chefoo Convention, together with many other
Items, not appeared in previous issues.

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Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until cancellation.

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After that hour he supply is limited.

DEATH.

At Downing, yesterday morning at 6 o'clock,
ROBERT ANDERSON, late Chief Engineer of the steamer
Xiang Ping.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 17TH, 1886.

First Secretary, who could have posted him
in many matters. Sir John will, of course,
find a capable staff at the Legation, and will
no doubt in intricate questions be able to
secure the advice of Sir Bonham Hart. None
the less, however, do we think it a bad plan to
remove the Chief Secretary of Legation at
this moment a new and entirely inexperienced
Minister arrives on the scene. It is
true that the acts and despatches of his
predecessors, as set forth in the archives of
the Legation, will be available as a guide to
him, and his subordinates will be able to
supply him with all needed details of any
matter that may crop up, but it must take
some little time to gather up the threads, and it
would be wise to leave him the assistance
of the chief of his staff until he had
acquired some insight into Oriental diplo-
macy. This is more especially the case in
China, where the character of the people,
and the ways of the mandarins are not to
be comprehended at a glance. No little
study and some experience are necessary to
arrive at a clear estimate of both, and it is
hardly fair to Sir John Walsham that he
should be expected to accomplish thefeat at
a glance.

The unanimity with which the annexation of
Upper Burma has been received by all parties
in Great Britain is referred to by the *Times* as
gratifying. It is difficult to say whether this
is due to the mere popularity of the event.
The *Times* points out that the larger portion of such commer-
ce exists between the Celestial Empire and the
Western world. As a correspondent points out,
the inhabitants of England and her foreign
possessions consume more than three-fourths of
the total exports of China. The newly-opened
avenue of commerce will, it is believed, bring
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NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERS of the SOY HING LOONG, NAM PAK TONG, No. 48, Bonham Strand West, by mutual consent closed their Business on the 30th day of the 12th Moon of the last Chinese Year.

Another House has been established, carrying on NAM PAK HONG, Business, and styled BAN SENG. The name of the Masters are TO SU YAU (比少游), and CHEUNG TSE KAN (張子康). THE BAN SENG HONG will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the SOY HING LOONG.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1888. [373]

恒裕號告白

THE HANG YUE SHOP, Honan, Canton, has for more than Twenty Years carried on the Business of Tea Merchants and secured a wide circle of their Friends. SCENTED KUO PAI CHONG, CHUN CHIEN, SU CROSS and CHING CHUN ROHS SIN CHIEN all guaranteed of the Best Quality, but lately some Traders in Hongkong, Macao, & have imitated our Trade Mark and our Firm's Style, selling inferior Tea. Recently established a Branch at our Shop 17, Bonham Strand, Hongkong, the house of the KWEI KWING HOW TIE in order to counteract the imitation of our Brand. On the 20th March, 1888, we registered our Trade Mark according to the requirements of Ordinance No. 16 of 1873, so our New Trade Mark is a WATCH, and it will be used on the 20th February next. We therefore warn our Customers will take particular notice that our Trade Mark is on the Paper, Matting, and Boxes in which Tea is packed.

LEUNG SHEW WAN, HANG MEI SHOP, Honan, Canton.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF M. O. KWOK CHAK in our Firm, CRASED on the 2nd instant.

M. O. CHUN KAU is admitted a PARTNER from the 4th instant.

HOP HING HONG, 132 Bonham Strand, Hongkong, 11th February, 1888. [343]

NOTICE.

M. R. WEYMANN will take CHARGE of our Yokohama and Kobe Firms. Messrs. SIEMSEN & Co. have been appointed our Agents in Honkong and China.

JOHN SPEENHEIMER FEURES, Hongkong, 6th February, 1888. [303]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned hereby give Notice that Li Ho Po having resigned his Connection with their Firm on the 31st day of January last, is no longer authorized to transact business on their account.

WOH LEE, Hongkong, 5th February, 1888. [304]

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Business hitherto carried on under the Style or Firm of WOH LEE & COMPANY will be conducted under the Style of

WOH LEE, Hongkong, 5th February, 1888. [304]

NOTICE.

MR. THEODOR VON DER HEYDE of Hamburg, and Mr. GOTTFRIED BRUNO ROBERT RECKE of Honkong, have this Day been admitted PARTNERS in our Firm in Hamburg and Honkong.

SANDER & Co., Hongkong, 2nd February, 1888. [297]

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMasters and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repair if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1888. [38]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co., Hongkong, 1st January, 1888. [297]

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1887. [11]

NOTICE.

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877, IN HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates.

PUSTAU & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. [184]

NOTICE.

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Hongkong, 13th February, 1886. [356]

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Hongkong, 15th February, 1886. [367]

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Hongkong, 15th February, 1886. [368]

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Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [666]

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Hongkong, 15th February, 1886. [357]

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Hongkong, 15th February, 1886. [358]

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NO. 31, MOSQUE STREET, containing

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Hongkong, 10th February, 1886. [359]

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Hongkong, 29th January, 1886. [254]

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Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [358]

TO LET.

BRICKHURST, ROBINSON ROAD.

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Hongkong, 25th January, 1883. [192]

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GOOD TENNIS GROUND ATTACHED.

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Hongkong, 29th January, 1883. [254]

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Hongkong, 10th February, 1883. [359]

TO LET.

NO. 3, MORQUE STREET.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1883. [359]

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NO. 1, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1884. [164]

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